UPHOLSTERY

A CAREER IN FURNITURE •REPAIR•

FREDD STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE
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Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401
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UPHOLSTERY

This program is designed to prepare an individual to engage in all aspects of upholstering furniture, automobile and boat seats, and furniture restoration. It also includes instruction in installing, repairing, arranging; and securing springs, filler, padding, tufting; and the sewing of the covering materials fora variety of upholstered furniture.

Fields of potential employment:

Furniture Upholsterer
Automobile Upholsterer
Furniture Restoration
Entrepreneur/Business Owner

Employment Outlook

Employment of upholsterers is expected to grow at a moderate rate through the 90s. Most job openings will arise because of the need to replace experienced workers who retire or transfer to other occupations. More upholstered furniture will be used as the population and personal and business expenditures grow.

CRAFTSMANSHIP

Required Courses:

UPH-111 Introduction to Upholstery
UPH-121 Designing and Reconstruction: Furniture Frames
UPH-131 Furniture Foundation and Body Work
UPH-141 Fabric Layout
UPH-211 Sewing Machines in Upholstery
UPH-221 Covering for Upholstery

NON-DISCRIMINATION ASSURANCE

It is a policy of Fredd State Technical College that no one, on grounds of race, color, handicap, sex, religion, or national origin, be subjected to discrimination in the recruitment and admission of students, the employment of faculty and staff, and the operation of any of its programs and activities, as specified by Federal laws and regulations.

If you are interested in further information concerning Fredd State, please mail in the form below

Name _____ Date _____
Mailing Address _____ Phone _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ County _____
School Attended _____ City _____ State _____
Graduation Date _____

Please send me the following:

___ Admissions Application
___ Financial Aid Application
___ Program Brochure I am interested in _____ Program
___ Other _____

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Philosophy and Purpose

Fredd State Technical College provides education and training for all individuals who want, need and can profit by vocational programs of quality at low cost. These programs provide individuals the opportunity to pursue educational careers that will enhance and improve their abilities and capabilities for being productive citizens. Those employed may enroll part-time to upgrade their skills to keep pace with advanced technology.

Every individual should have the educational opportunity to develop skills, attitudes, and technical knowledge which will lead to success in a chosen occupation.

The primary purpose of Fredd State is to provide students with marketable skills.

Entrance Requirements

High School graduates are preferred for all courses. However, non-graduates who are at least 16 years of age may enroll in some courses as special students if they have completed at least the 9th grade. Students enrolling in the Barbering program must have completed the 10th grade. Students enrolling in Secretarial Technology, Graphic & Printing Communications, Electronics Technology, and Residential Electricity Technology must have a high school diploma or GED.

Programs Offered

Auto Body Repair
Barbering
Carpentry
Commercial Foods
Commercial Sewing
Consumer Electronics
Computer Electronics
Graphic & Printing Communications
Masonry
Plumbing/Pipefitting
Residential Electricity Tech.
Secretarial Tech.
Sewing Machine Mechanics
Small Engine Mechanics
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Accreditation:
Southern Association of Colleges & Schools
Alabama State Department of Education

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